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In re Application of:

Heinz-Jurgen Bergemann et al

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## **AMENDMENT**

Dear Madam:

This amendment responds to the Final Office Action dated August 21, 2006 and is filed with a request for a three-month extension of time and a Request for Continued Examination. Please charge Deposit Account No. 502786 for any deficiency or overpayment.

Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims, as reflected in the listing of claims, begin on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.